

# COOLIDGE PAYS HONOR TO FORMER PRESIDENT

## FORMER EXECUTIVE IS EULOGIZED FOR HIS LOVABLE WAYS

Message Broadcast by Radio to all Parts of  
United States—Martyr Leader Spoken of  
as One Eminently Fitted for Service During  
Distracted Period of World History

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—President Harding was eulogized by his successor in office, Calvin Coolidge, in an address broadcast tonight by radio, as one who was eminently fitted "to serve a distracted world in a difficult period of its history."

The president spoke in his study at the white house and his address, one of the features of the nation-wide observance of Harding Memorial Week, was carried to the farthest parts of the country.

Exceptional facilities for broadcasting were provided as all broadcasting stations were requested by the department of commerce to remain silent during the time Mr. Coolidge spoke.

Mr. Coolidge began his address with a reference to Leigh Hunt's poem, "Abou Ben Adhem," in which an angel writes the name of him who loves his fellowman at the head of the list of "those who love the lord."

"It will be hard to find a better picture than this of President Harding, the man we loved and mourn," said Mr. Coolidge after reciting a verse of the poem.

## PLACE FOR NEXT CONVENTION TO BE FIXED TODAY

### Party Leaders Meet in Washington to Make Decision

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Announcement of President Coolidge's candidacy for the Republican presidential nomination was followed today by an immediate drawing of lines with Senator Johnson of California, at present Mr. Coolidge's only declared opponent.

The gathering of party leaders here for the meeting of the Republican national committee which convenes tomorrow to fix formally the place and date of the 1924 convention, served to develop sharply the conflict between President Coolidge and Senator Johnson with the possibility that Mr. Coolidge may enter the presidential primary in Senator Johnson's home state.

The president was told today by William H. Crocker, Republican national committeeman for California, plans of his friends to press his cause in California, Mr. Crocker expressing the belief the contest would result in a Coolidge victory.

Senator Johnson in a brief statement said he hoped President Coolidge would enter the California race and added that he had no fear of the outcome.

#### Managers Busy

Campaign managers of both President Coolidge and Senator Johnson were busy today in conferences with national committee men and other party leaders.

President Coolidge himself saw several, as did Senator Johnson. In the national committee's consideration tomorrow of the convention city for 1924 there is the germ of another conflict between Coolidge and Johnson forces. With Cleveland, backed by administration leaders and the withdrawal of Chicago from the contest a movement has developed to fight the selection of Cleveland. Many leaders maintain, however, that the Ohio city is sure to win, although Des Moines and San Francisco delegations are expected to present their claims.

A belief apparent among Senator Johnson's friends that administration backing was swung to Cleveland because it was felt Senator Johnson might have strength in Chicago was said to be in part behind the reported plans of a fight against the selection of Cleveland for the convention.

In addition to selecting the convention city several other controversies are to come before the committee.

Reapportionment ordered of the 1924 roll, providing for 1,036 delegates as against 984 in 1920, promises some difficulties.

A. G. Lovekamp of Meredosia transacted business in the city yesterday.

## PRESIDENT ASKS ■ LARGE TAX CUT FOR NEXT YEAR

### Reiterates Stand Previously Taken on Soldier Bonus

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—A tax reduction of more than \$300,000,000 a year and a cut of about \$275,000,000 in the cost of government for the next fiscal year were proposed in the annual budget submitted to congress today by President Coolidge. The executive also reiterated his opposition to the soldiers' bonus, outlining his position on the question in some detail.

In the letter transmitting estimates of government requirements for the fiscal year 1925, Mr. Coolidge declared against the bonus as a proposition for which there was no "sound" reason. He said the tax cut would be possible only if new and larger scale appropriations were avoided and he believed that the tax cut and reduction in the cost of government would tend to align the whole people in support of economical administration of the nation's affairs.

The estimates provide for total expenditures of \$3,298,080,444 in the fiscal year. This would leave a surplus of almost four hundred million dollars but the projected reduction in tax rates would take away more than three quarters of the anticipated surplus which was calculated on the basis of present tax levies.

**Soldier Bonus.**

Discussing the soldiers' bonus the president said the government had no funds to distribute "to any class of its citizens that it does not take from the pockets of all the people."

Such an expenditure, he added, would "tend to absorb the expected margin between receipts and expenditures," which is counted on to make tax reduction possible.

The tax reduction proposal offered by President Coolidge follows the lines suggested by Secretary Mellon in a recent letter to Acting Chairman Green of the house ways and means committee. The treasury program would cut about \$323,000,000 from the total income but its adoption would permit the government to finish the next fiscal year with a small surplus if the estimates submitted by the executive at this time are not enlarged.

"The captains and the kings, the armies and the navies, the men who would have war, the men who would not have peace, had long dominated the scene. Where among them could place be made could be found, for this kindly, gentle, gracious soul.

"Yet he found his place. He caught to paths of peace and gladly it came. He beckoned the nations to come and sit in council. He pointed them the way to peace. He set example of readiness to cast away the sword from the arm of might. He sought for men and nations a peace—the only true and lasting peace—based on justice and right. He stood first and firm for his own country, then for mankind. His sincerity and frankness won for his side those who sensed the great truth of human brotherhood. So he led the way to the monumental accomplishments of the Washington conference on limitation on armament.

The same simplicity and directness marked his program in domestic affairs. His was steady, strong, inspiring hand of guidance and helpfulness. It was never the mailed fist of compulsion. He knew that the greatest need of the world was peace with industry and production. He asked for these, and with them for thrift and the will to make good the losses that had been inflicted in the years of strife. He called his countrymen to set an example of those homely virtues, and they did. He gave without remorse of his own strength, down to the tragic end. He rose above misunderstandings and misrepresentations, but he was curiously incapable of hard feeling toward those who were unfair with him. In a time when the minds of many men were prone to seize upon hurried conclusions, he held back and dared to take his time and thought before deciding. He was free from the pride of opinion and strong in the determination of conviction. He had that calm courage which could not be overpressed but that was firm and final when decision had been reached.

**Often Criticized.**

"He was criticised because his own country, under his leadership did not move forward so fast as some wished, but when worn out by the struggle he had so bravely borne, he laid down his burden his critics saw clearly what his leadership had accomplished. They say that it had been a leadership forward and onward, in an era when most other countries were moving other countries were moving

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### LOCAL MAN'S POEM IN SPRINGFIELD PAPER

The Springfield Journal of last Sunday carried on the editorial page a poem by John Kearns of this city. This poem, "Civic Ideals," appeared in the Journal several weeks since.

**VISITORS IN DECATOR.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fawcett and daughter, Miss Ursula, were in Decatur for the week end, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Howell. Mr. Howell was for a number of years manager of the Bell Telephone Co. in this city.

## Second Lot of Bills Breaks In Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Three proposals for constitutional amendments were included in the second wave of bills and resolutions which broke today in both the senate and house. The equal rights amendment sponsored by the Woman's Party, was introduced by Senator Curtis, Republican, Kansas; an amendment terminating the terms of President and Vice-President on "the third Monday in January" and Senators and Representatives on "the first Monday in January," of the year in which they would normally end was offered by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska and the amendment authorizing the president "a majority of the senators voting concurring," to conclude treaty, was introduced by Senator Owen, Democrat, Oklahoma.

Other joint resolutions included the maiden proposal of Senator Magnus Johnson, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota, directing the president to call an international convention to negotiate a general arbitration treaty, and another by Senator King, Democrat, Utah, to provide a world conference on disarmament.

The great majority of the measures introduced in the senate were private bills.

Representative King, Republican, Illinois, reintroduced his measure to grant independence to the Philippine Islands.

Veterans would be given government hospital treatment for disability without regard to whether it was incurred in service, under a bill introduced by Representative Milligan, Democrat, Missouri.

An import duty on wheat at 5 cents a bushel and on alfalfa seed at 3 cents a pound was asked by Representative Williamson, of South Dakota.

Amending the farm loan act so that expenses of the farm loan board and its employees shall be paid by the land banks and joint stock banks was proposed by Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah.

### SANITY COMMISSION WILL INQUIRE INTO SANITY OF TOMPKINS

#### First Degree Murder is Charged Against Slay-er of Wife

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 10.—A sanity commission will be appointed tomorrow to inquire into the mental condition of E. Ray Tompkins, wealthy real estate operator and self-confessed slayer of his wife, Ora.

Tompkins will be brought before Judge A. C. Backus in Municipal Court tomorrow morning for arraignment on a charge of first degree murder.

W. C. Zabel, Tompkins' counsel will enter no objection to the commission it was said tonight.

Immediately following the examination of the former normal school instructor, and on his condition. Should this report show Tompkins unable to act for himself, he will be committed to an asylum and if cured, will be returned for trial.

Tompkins, late today fully realized that his "love dream and illicit romance" had come to an end. He awoke to the stern fact that Miss Florence Witmeyer is now too busily engaged in fighting for her own freedom to give much comfort to the man whom she is said to have met so often within ear shot of his wife.

Miss Witmeyer, former Normal School student, and former public school teacher, was arrested today on a statutory charge growing out of her alleged relations with Tompkins. Within an hour after Tompkins stood at the bar of justice in the district court, the young woman faced another judge. She was remanded to the county jail in default of bail of \$500.

### DEFENSE BEGUN IN IOWA MURDER CASE

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Dec. 10.—The taking of defense testimony in the trial of Mrs. Mima Wertz, accused of slaying her husband, was started today and several witnesses testified before the court recessed late this afternoon.

Dr. Frank W. Mulsow, of the University of Iowa Medical College, testified as to analysis of spots on the kitchen floor of the Wertz home, the room in which Wertz was shot. Several spots alleged by the state to have been caused by pools of blood, were declared "not" to have been blood, but paint, by the witness.

Frank Messer, Iowa City attorney, who was first called by Mrs. Wertz, immediately after the shooting, testified about details at the scene of the shooting when he arrived there. Messer was Mrs. Wertz' legal adviser at that time.

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## ROAD OFFICIALS TO INVESTIGATE CAUSE OF WRECK

### "Wild Bill" Donovan Among Those Dead from Collision

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 10.—Bodies of five of the nine persons, including that of William "Wild Bill" Donovan, who were killed in the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited, crack New York Central passenger train at Forts, New York, near here yesterday, were sent to their homes today.

Five passengers injured in the wreck remained in the hospital here tonight but Dr. H. Roth, railroad surgeon, declared their condition was good and that all probably would recover.

Meantime final preparations were being made for a formal inquiry tomorrow to be conducted by the New York Central railroad. All members of the train crew have been summoned at that hearing which will be attended also by Coroner B. M. Blood, of Chautauqua county, New York, and representatives of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the New York public service commission.

Separate investigations also are being conducted by the federal and state commissions.

The bodies sent home today, in addition to that of Donovan, were those of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sweet of Los Angeles, Mrs. Carl D. Kinsey, of Chicago, and Ralph Parnell, Pullman porter of New York.

The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Sturman and Mrs. Richard M. Sullivan, all of Springfield, Ill., were still at a morgue here tonight.

Coroner Blood, who earlier in the day had announced that an inquest would be held immediately after the railroad inquiry, declared tonight at his home at Fredonia, N. Y., that he would determine after the inquiry tomorrow whether the inquest would be held.

While asserting that the bodies of six of the victims were taken from the state and placed in morgues at Erie without authority, Colonel Blood declared that he did not expect to take any action in the matter.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—One of the first of more than 300 "speeding" cases, which drew a record throng to speeders' court today, was that of Charlie White, lightweight boxer, who paid \$15 and costs for traveling 35 miles an hour.

Judge Ward of Quincy, Illinois, is sitting in speeders' court in place of Judge Gilster.

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LOWDEN REFUSES TO  
ACCEPT PRESIDENCY  
OF FARM FEDERATION

#### Says He Would Refuse it if Offered to Him Unanimously

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Former Governor Frank O. Lowden said "I could not and would not take the presidency of the American Farm Bureau Federation if it were offered me unanimously."

This assertion was made in a telegram tonight to Herman Stein, secretary of the National Wheat Growers advisory committee.

The message of Mr. Lowden, who is in Washington, was in response to an inquiry regarding reports and statements from farm bureau members that he was a candidate for the federation presidency, and that he had been involved in the ousting last Saturday by the executive committee of J. W. Coverdale, farm bureau secretary.

Mr. Lowden in his message said that the report that he had anything to do with the removal of Mr. Coverdale was untrue and added:

"I did not even know that Coverdale had opposition and have never discussed the question with anyone."

### MICHIGAN MEN WERE OVERMAN HOME

Phil Deats, Horace Stone and M. R. Gould of Mattawan, Mich., were in Jacksonville yesterday, in charge of James Wallace, deputy sheriff at Chapman, and Burley Jones of this city. The prisoners were William Stalls who was convicted of murder, and Riley Buchanan, who was found guilty of passing a worthless check.

## INSURGENTS AGAIN IN DEADLOCK OVER I. C. C. COMMITTEE

Senate Adjourns After Three Ballots Are Taken on Personnel of Members

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Show them to have been law-abiding citizens. If they were alive today they would not only obey the law, but would refrain from inciting others to its violation by constant criticism of the statute and predictions that it never could be enforced.

**THE TEST OF A CHRISTMAS GIFT**

Many millions of dollars will be spent during the next few weeks for gifts. The greater part of them will be well bestowed, but such many such offerings will be useless.

The best gift is something that the recipient has wanted. While useful articles that a person is going to need are given more than ever before, yet the gift that appeals to a person's imagination and sense of beauty may seem equally appropriate.

People often long for things for years, but feel they can get along without them, and so never buy them. A gift of that type may not always be strictly practical, yet if it satisfies a long cherished desire, it may create more happiness than anything else.

The person who wants to make appropriate gifts must think carefully the tastes and desires of his friends, and often consult the members of the friend's family to see what is wanted or needed.

**MOVING BY AIR NEA**

One of these days, when people move from town to town, their furniture will be transported in airplanes. So predicts C. W. Warner of Boston, who's said to be the pioneer in cross-country motor truck transportation of household effects.

"I am speaking carefully when I say the airplane will some day take over the distant transportation of house furnishings," Warner declares. "There is a limit to the capacity and speed of the motor truck. As people move faster, their belongings must move faster in their wake. In years to

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Pat O'Malley, Norman Kerry

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Coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
The Covered Wagon"

**LIGHTHOUSE NAN TO BE GIVEN AT CHAPIN**

Chapin Orchestra to Present Comedy Drama Tomorrow Night at Amuse-U Theatre.

Come, a man will give his new address to the movers. Within 24 hours he should be able to walk in the new front door with his wife and children, and find everything as he left them yesterday 3,000 miles away."

Do it? Well, it doesn't seem as improbable as our present speed of moving from city to city, by trains and motor trucks, would have seemed to the former generations that moved slowly across the continent in covered wagons drawn by oxen or horses.

It's unquestionably within human power to keep on developing the airplane until furniture could be moved thru the air for hundreds or thousands of miles with great expense.

Looks, too, as if it will come to pass.

But will it be worth while? Are we really any better off, by reason of all this speed and so-called efficiency? Wasn't life more worth living back in the covered wagon days? weren't people happier? And didn't they have more time and opportunity for the improvement of self—which, after all, apparently is the chief purpose for which we're put on earth?

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Don't forget, the airplane ears is coming! Auto-hearses will prove too slow.

**COVERED WAGON COMES THURSDAY**

Mrs. Henry W. English of This City Had Active Part in Democratic Women's Conference.

Beginning Thursday, "The Covered Wagon," that typically American play of the winning of the West, begins its local engagement. The spirit that animated the pioneers is its theme. They defied all hazards and—another great step in America's progress—conquered the unknown—the savages, wilds, hostile animals and nature, desert thirst, heat, cold and hunger along the California and Oregon trails in 1848-49 into the country's newly acquired possessions. That, briefly, is the story of "The Covered Wagon."

Replete with thrilling adventure and pioneers' indomitable spirit, it likewise has a love story of great sweetness and a rough but sympathetic humor that touches the risible and the heart strings.

At a subsequent session Mrs. English spoke again, having for her theme "The Rising Tide of Government."

The Chicago conference was arranged by Mrs. E. A. Bergland of Galva, chairman of the Women's auxiliary Democratic central committee; Mrs. Anna L. Smith, Chicago, Illinois, national committeewoman; Mrs. Katherine Waugh McCollough of Evanston, president Illinois Woman's Democratic club and Mrs. Samuel Slade, of Chicago, president of the Illinois Democratic women's forum.

The death of the Sullivan and their daughter, Mrs. Stureman leaves but one survivor of the Sullivan family, Miss Dorothy, a student at the National Seminary of Washington, D. C., with whom Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Stureman had been visiting on their Thanksgiving trip in the East. Mrs. Sullivan is survived by one daughter, Miss Dorothy, her aged mother of this city, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. William Huffman, Los Angeles, Calif.; William Wood, Jacksonville; Mrs. W. L. Leach, west of Jacksonville; Mrs. E. L. Hammel, Lynnville; Mrs. Laura Hill, Fairview, Ill.; Clarence R. Wood, St. Louis; and William Wood residing in the west. One brother, Joseph Wood, predeceased her in death.

Mr. Sullivan first came to Jacksonville about 35 years ago when he attended Whipple Academy and Illinois college. At this time he attracted a great deal of attention as an athlete taking an important part in baseball and football, being catcher on the baseball eleven when Julian Duer was captain of the team in 1894.

A Power in Politics

Immediately after his marriage to Miss Wood they moved to Springfield and since that time he has been a visitor here many times. "Dick" Sullivan as he was familiarly known in Springfield and in this community and throughout the state began his political career in North Springfield and since that time has become recognized as a political leader in Springfield and Sangamon county, being prominent in Republican circles in Illinois.

Mr. Sullivan is survived besides his daughter in Washington, D. C., three brothers and two sisters: Charles, Eugene and Patrick Sullivan of Springfield; Mrs. Annie McCarty of Chicago and Mrs. George Schwander of Springfield.

Mr. Stureman, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan was a member of the firm of Stureman-Buttrick company and was a veteran of the World war. Mr. and Mrs. Stureman who were frequent visitors in this city, leave a three year old daughter in Springfield. The orphan will probably be cared for by Mr. Stureman's parents who reside in Peoria.

As soon as Springfield relatives were convinced Sunday of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan and George Schwander boarded the train for Erie, Pa., to take charge of the bodies. They expected to reach their destination yesterday afternoon.

M. L. HILDRETH SPENDS SEVERAL DAYS HERE

M. L. Hildreth, deputy state factory inspector, is spending a number of days in his home city.

At this season of the year there are usually special industrial inspections to be made and the same is true in Springfield, where Mr. Hildreth will spend part of his time from the present until Christmas.

ASBURY BAZAR and baked chicken supper Thurs., Dec. 13. Begin serving at 5:30, at Asbury church. On oiled road.

Special Conclave of Hospitalier Commandery this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

WORK. Visiting Knights welcome.

Clyde D. Black, Com. John R. Phillips, Rec.

**MET TRAGIC DEATH IN RAILROAD WRECK**

Services for Seattle Man Held at Island Grove in Former Home, and Attended by Many Relatives and Friends

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sullivan, former Residents Here, in Casualty List—Their Son and Daughter Also Killed—May Be Buried in Local Cemetery

The Chapin orchestra is to present a comedy drama, "Lighthouse Nan," at the Amuse-U theatre in Chapin tomorrow night. This is a three-act play and is to be given by a cast which includes some of the best talent in Chapin community. The cast of characters is given below:

Hon. John Enlow, president of the bank—Carlton Anderson.

Ned Blake, his private secretary—Austin Moody.

Ichabod Buzzer, keeper of the lighthouse—Walter Williams.

Sir Arthur Choke, a British aristocrat—Harry Crabtree.

Injun Jim, a bad man—Joe Smith.

Nan, a little roustabout—Maire Grady.

Moll Buzzer, the gentle antelope—Leutie Ellers.

Hon. Sarah Chumley Choke, Arthur's sister—Verla Baker.

Hortense Enlow, a city belle—Vivian Stuart.

Tragic news of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Sullivan of Springfield, former residents of this city received in Jacksonville Sunday, when it was learned they were victims of a train wreck Sunday morning, at Forsyth, New York. Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Stureman, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, of Springfield were also victims of the 20th Century Limited wreck in which nine people met death and five other persons were seriously injured. Mrs. Sullivan was born 71 years ago. A large number of friends and relatives from Island Grove, where the deceased was born, were present at the services. The Smith home is now occupied by the Misses Smith, nieces of the deceased.

Services were conducted by Rev. Reid, pastor of the M. E. church at Island Grove. Mrs. Barr Brown sang two beautiful solos: "When I Meet Him Face to Face," and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

The numerous beautiful floral tributes were cared for by Mrs. B. S. Galey and the Misses Smith. The bearers were J. B. Hitt, E. W. Kelley, J. D. Smith, Jr., E. W. Brown, F. W. Brown and Dr. J. D. Smith. Interment took place in the Island Grove cemetery.

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## TELLS STORY OF BIG BAPTIST CONVENTION

Dr. D. O. Hopkins Speaks at Local Church Sunday Morning, Giving Account of World Alliance Meeting—Tales of Persecution.

Members of the First Baptist church were treated Sunday morning to a sermon on the Baptist World Alliance, which met last summer at Stockholm, Sweden, the speaker being Rev. D. O. Hopkins of Normal, superintendent of the Baptist district. Dr. Hopkins was one of the delegation from the United States who attended the Alliance. While abroad, he also visited his father in Wales, whom he had not seen for 23 years.

The speaker first told something of the people who attended the great Baptist gathering. This world organization of Baptists had not met since 1911, tho it is supposed to assemble every five years. The World War caused the interruption and no meeting had been held since the one at Philadelphia in 1911.

The gathering in Stockholm last summer was attended by nearly 3,000 delegates from near-

ly every country in the world. Forty to fifty different languages were spoken at the meeting, and the songs were printed in four languages, French, German, Swedish and English, the last being the official songs of the Alliance.

At the roll call of the nations, a representative of each country, dressed in the proper costume and speaking the language of his people, responded with fitting remarks. Following the speech the delegation from that nation would rise and sing a hymn in their own tongue. The fifteen negro delegates from the colored Baptist churches of the south were entertained at the home of the only millionaire Baptist in Sweden. Baptists were there from Latvia, Russia, India, the newly organized republican states of the Balkans, and other European and Asiatic nations, small and great. The sixty German delegates were in a pitiful plight.

They had received assurances from the Alliance that they would receive courteous treatment, and this was accorded them; yet they felt afraid and uncomfortable. Had the meeting been held in August instead of July, they could not have attended, as the drop in German marks was so great as to make prices of traveling prohibitive.

### Persecutions Recounted

A surprising phase of Dr. Hopkins' address was his account of the persecutions thru which many of the delegates from oppressed countries had passed. Some of these churches of Europe are firmly opposed to the progress of Baptist faith, and many of its adherents he said have been thrown into prison, shot, mutilated and otherwise maltreated. One man was at the convention who had been placed in prison with a gang of horse thieves and left without food until the other prisoners protested and made the jailers ashamed. Another, who was a pastor of eight churches, was arrested one night by police while holding a meeting. He was also a farmer, and the officers took all his goods. Trying to save his children from starving, this man walked a hundred miles and bought two sacks of corn. He carried it back, and when but a short distance from his home, these same police seized him, stole his grain, placed the muzzle of a rifle in his mouth, and blew a hole in the side of his face.

There were at the convention children from Spain, who only a few months before, had had their mouths washed out with a strong disinfectant because they had gone to a Baptist Sunday school and had sung Baptist hymns. However in spite of these persecutions the Baptist churches in these oppressed countries had grown enormously during the preceding year. Some of them had increased their membership 30 to 50 per cent, and some had increased even six hundred per cent.

**WILL MEET TODAY**  
The Strawn's Crossing Woman's club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Homer Cull.

### PROFIT SHARING COUPONS

We give profit sharing coupons with cash purchases or on accounts. If you owe us for coal or ice you are requested to call at our East College avenue office or at our up town office with L. S. Doane, Morrison building. WALTON & CO.

### NOTICE

W. A. Kennett, Orleans, Changes Bus'ness Policy

I beg to advise my customers beginning January 1, 1924 that I will on that date change the policy of the general mercantile business from a cash and credit system to a strictly cash basis, by so doing I hope to be able to impress each and every one of my customers of the great importance of making this change. I will be in a position to offer special price inducements on all the different lines of merchandise I handle enough that it will be well worth the public consideration. Watch the papers for advertisements after the above date of the many bargains I will offer.

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## SET OPENING DATE OF MISSION SCHOOL NOTES

Third Annual Baptist School of Missions to Open Here on First Sunday of Year—Pageants are Planned.

Rev. A. P. Howells, pastor of First Baptist Church, has announced that the third annual School of Missions held by the church will open the first Sunday in January, and continue for six consecutive Sunday nights. The sessions of this school will be divided into two periods, one for classes and one, during the regular preaching hour, for lectures and pageants. There will be classes for intermediates, seniors and adults.

The pastor is arranging several special entertainments for the lecture periods. One Sunday a four reel motion picture will be shown, depicting life in some mission field. Three departments of the church will, as last year, give religious plays or pageants. The State convention of the denomination has offered the church the services of two missionaries from India, who produce a pageant of Indian life.

Miss Irene Wood, associated with the offices of the college, served Sunday at her home in Murrayville.

Miss Mary Anderson of the faculty was called to her home in Macon, by the sudden death of her father Sunday night.

### FARM BUREAU NOTES

Annual Rally Day of the Farm Bureau.—The wives of the members of the executive committee of the Farm Bureau will serve as a general reception committee at the Central Christian church from 11 to 12 Wednesday. The reservations indicate that we shall have a record breaking attendance at this annual meeting.

New Members in the Farm Bureau.—J. E. Gray of Franklin, Grover Whitlock and Arthur Clayton of Murrayville, Henry Deper of Chapin and E. W. Brown of Jacksonville recently enrolled in the Farm Bureau.

Baby Beef Prospects.—J. W. Arnold is anxious to see a Baby Beef Club terminate at the next Morgan County Fair. T. R. Cain of the executive committee has been named chairman of the county committee. J. L. Henry, H. E. Kitner, and M. Greenleaf are reported as boosters.

Terminating Projects.—The Farm Accounting project for high school students and the Poultry Record Keeping project participated in by twenty-three women of Morgan county are scheduled to terminate this month.

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**CLAIMS FARMER  
NEEDS OPENING  
OF NEW MARKETS**

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fairs "is not compatible with the best interests of our farmers who must look to others' nation's for an outlet for their surplus." Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture criticized those packing companies which are opposing the department of agri-

culture in its efforts to investigate their books. He declared that the question raised by this opposition, which he said would prevent effective enforcement of the packers and stock yards act if successful "is going to be passed upon by the highest court in the land."

"My experience of the past year and a half has shown me very clearly the imperative need of knowing the packers' books," Mr. Wallace said. "We are charged with the duty of seeing to it that no unfair practices are followed by this industry. We can-

not do our duty unless we know what is going on behind the scenes as disclosed by the books."

"Agriculture will injure itself as well as other industry if in the resentment because it is temporarily a step behind in the social progress it fails to fix its vision on ultimate objectives which will themselves correct these disparities. Julius Barnes, president of the chamber of commerce of the United States, another speaker declared.

**COOLIDGE PAYS HONOR  
TO FORMER PRESIDENT**

(Continued from Page 1) saw that prosperity smiled on some favored land. They saw that prosperity and material well being somehow strangely in other lands. So they came to realize what his modest, unassuming leadership had wrought for his country.

"It was natural that such a character, passing from the stage of life should leave the multitude a sense of personal loss. Seldom indeed has any man's death left that feeling among so many. He was mourned abroad and at home. The conviction was felt everywhere that he was one of the men best fitted to serve a distracted world in difficult period of its history. But was not permitted to finish his task. He broke and went down under its load. In the hour of sorrow for his loss, men and women were moved to a broader charity, a relaxation of partisan excesses, a determination to be fair and moderate and reasonable. His life became in the tragic sorrow of its end, a lesson in the value of simple and modest ways.

"We mourn him today and we shall mourn him so long as remembrance holds before us the picture of his patience, forbearance, faith and Christian tolerance. These are rare virtues, too seldom found among the men who have the strength to rise to high places. They are the virtues that men need to seek and cultivate in these years of stress in the world. They point the way to salvation for men for nations for humanity itself. We may well hope that his example to his own countrymen and to the world may help greatly to bring a spirit of charity, accord and true fraternity, where shall be lighted the lamp of understanding to show our feet into the paths of peace on earth, good will to men, we may well consider by what means we can show our appreciation and by what method we can best enshrine his memory."

**ORGANIZED CHARITY**

In these days of organized charity when scientific methods are being applied to social problems there is not a danger of losing the human element, the good neighbor spirit?

Would you be willing to give free care to a child during its mother's stay in a hospital?

To teach some poor manager to budget her household expenditures?

To plan at regular intervals, with some inexperienced mother, the clothing supply of the family?

To work with the Social Service League supply committee in remaking used garments?

To give the service of your car in taking children to and from clinics or in giving a tired mother and her small children a drive into the country?

To take one or more children to a good movie or to a concert?

To supply milk to an undernourished child?

To spend time in learning conditions of housing and sanitation among Jacksonville's poor, or to read of modern social movements thru books available at the library and at the Social Service League?

**Too Late to Classify**

FOR RENT—In west end, modern apartment, partly furnished; sleeping porch, private bath. Phone 861. 12-9-1f

FOR SALE—100 Rhode Island Red cockerels, pullets and hens. F. L. Ledford, 653 East State street. 12-9-2f

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 1388X. 402 "ardin. 12-9-1f

FOR SALE—Line and end posts, phone 45W. 12-9-1f

FOUND—Sum of money Saturday afternoon. For information call phone 1092X. 12-9-1f

FOR SALE—Small house on Fulton street. Easy terms. L. S. Doane, Morrison building. 12-9-2f

LOST—Female 8 months old airdale black hair lost between Rowe's timber and West Lafayette Avenue. Reward for return to B. Betena, 748 West Lafayette avenue. 12-11-6f

Mr. and Mrs. George Goacher of White Hall are visiting their son, H. M. Goacher and family in this city.

FOR SALE—Oak dining room furniture, iron bed and springs, heating stove, cross-cut saw, and other articles. 702 East State street. 12-11-1f

FOR SALE—Old lumber. See to her home on Freedman street 362 and 1618. 12-11-5f

**CHAIRMAN OF BOARD  
OF CAN. PAC. RAILWAY  
DIES VERY SUDDENLY**

President of Road for Many Years During Development

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Lord Shaughnessy, chairman of the board of directors of the Canadian Pacific railway died today in his 70th year. He was taken ill suddenly yesterday. Death was due to heart disease and complications. Lord Shaughnessy was born in Milwaukee.

Lord Shaughnessy, or Thomas George Shaughnessy, first Baron of Montreal and Ashford, County Limerick, Ireland, the head of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was born in Milwaukee, Wis., on October 6, 1853. He attended the public schools of his native city and entered the employ of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway when 16 years old.

In 1882 when eating a meal in a restaurant he attracted the attention of Sir William Van Horn, then collecting a staff for the infant Canadian Pacific Railway and was engaged as general purchasing agent. He was made assistant to the president in 1889, a vice-president and director in 1891 and became president of the company in 1899, retiring to become chairman of the board of directors in 1918. He was knighted in 1901, made a Knight Commander of the Victorian Order in 1907 and raised to the peerage in 1916.

During his regime as president of the Canadian Pacific it grew to be one of the greatest single transportation systems by land and water in the world. It poured out \$600,000,000 on the development of the Canadian west and its shipping feeders to the railway. In 1901 its capital stock was \$65,000,000 and when he left the presidency it was \$260,000,000.

Lord Shaughnessy's characteristics have been described as "optimism, quick decision and courage." His method was frequently spectacular and daring. For instance, in the course of a conversation with Sir William Van Horne, in the early part of the century, the latter, referring to the Canadian Pacific and the West, said: "We have built the hopper, but we want the spout." Shaughnessy decided there should be two spouts. Almost overnight he arranged for the purchase of the Atlantic ships of the old Beaver lines, amounting to 15 in all and set up the system whereby huge numbers of immigrants were secured and transported from England and Europe to Canada on them. Later he acquired vessels for the company's Pacific trade.

**CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE**

Have you bought your limit of seals? Remember that to carry out the program of a Tuberculosis Nurse will require at least \$3,000.00 and that means a liberal purchase of each on the part of everyone. What is your debt for public health? Does ten cents worth of seals pay it? Does a quarters worth? Let us remember all those who have given us help this Christmas time and make our own holidays the happier.

Last year Morgan county stood thirty-second in the hundred and one counties of the state in per capita sale, with an average of .0357 per person. Does that amount express your interest in public health? Sangamon County averaged .0659 per capita in its seal sale—almost twice as high as Morgan County's as high as Morgan County's per capita. Logan County exceeded Sangamon with a sale of .0711 per capita. Where will we stand this year? The way that the school children have backed the seal sale deserves the greatest support from every grown person. One woman said that she began early in the fall to put aside dimes so that she was ready when the children came with their seals, and she never refused a single child. Are we doing all that we can, everyone of us?

**OAKLAWN ITEMS**

Twenty two patients are now at Oaklawn. Eight of them are out of county patients. One patient has recently entered from Dr. Palmer's Sanatorium of Springfield.

The visit by Dr. Brokaw last week to the institution was very much appreciated. He left words of cheer which were very gratifying to the patients and staff.

Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Seeley of Rushville recently called at Oaklawn.

Six soldier boys are being cared for at Oaklawn.

THIRD WARD P. T.  
ASSOCIATION TO MEET

A joint meeting of the Parent-Teachers association of the Franklin and Morton schools will be held at the Franklin building this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The meeting tonight will partake of the nature of a "Father's night," the entire program to be given by fathers of pupils attending the schools.

It is desired that every father having a child in attendance at either of these schools be present at this meeting.

Mrs. J. S. Batt was among the residents of Arenzville who visited the business district in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Smith has returned

**YOUNG PEOPLE FORM  
NOVEL WOODSON CLUB**

"Dramatic Dozen" Is Name of Organization—Telephone Exchange Remodeled—Other Items

Woodson, Dec. 10.—An organization of young people calling themselves the "Dramatic Dozen" has come into being in this community. The club will hold a business meeting next Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the Christian church, and all members are requested to be present. Mrs. Fred Quimby is the leader, and the members are: Bernice Kline, Meda Megginson, Edith Watts, Esther Cunningham, Bernice Henry, Helen Rolson, Roy Smith, Harry Ezard, Clarence Kitner, Paul Cline and Davis Tribble.

Mr. and Mrs. George Staples, who have had charge of the Woodson telephone exchange for switchboard into the new room. The exchange room has been remodeled, redecorated and put in excellent shape, so that it is quite attractive. The operators are well pleased with their new quarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dean and little son spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McCurley in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Thompson of Buckhorn vicinity, and Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Bishop of Jacksonville were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Self.

The Missionary society and Unity Workers of the Woodson Presbyterian church will hold a joint meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Steinmetz.

Al Barber moved his family to South Jacksonville today having purchased the F. J. Kitner property on South Main street.

The special meeting of the women of the Christian church in the interest of missions was not held Sunday evening, as the speaker who was to have filled the engagement was ill. The program will be held next Sunday morning during the regular preaching hour and the pastor of the church, Rev. C. H. Drum, will deliver a missionary address.

The teachers of the Christian Sunday school met Sunday afternoon and planned for a Christmas program, which will be given at the church Sunday, Dec. 23.

School shoes \$1.98; work shoes \$1.98; dress shoes \$4.85. Hopper's.

**TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION  
HELD REGULAR MEETING**

The regular meeting of the local Typographical Union was held Sunday afternoon at the Trades and Labor assembly hall, and was largely attended. Various matters of business were given attention at this session, and the label committee made a report on the "Have it Printed in Jacksonville" campaign, which has been in progress for some time. The union decided to continue the campaign for a time.

Mention was made of the fact that various publications have called attention to the part the union had in bringing about a favorable vote on the Oak Lawn sanatorium proposition at the recent election.

**A GIFT FROM THE COAST**  
Mrs. G. C. Guthrie who is spending the winter in California and Washington has sent to her sister Mrs. Thomas Henton a lovely box of holly.

**TODAY—TRINITY  
Bazaar and Food Sale, Guild Hall, 10 o'clock.**

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# Christmas Presents for the Men Folks

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**T. M. TOMLINSON**

## ALEXANDER RESIDENT STRICKEN BY DEATH

Owen Kierman Drops Dead at Priest's Home Monday—Heart Failure Is Jury's Verdict—Other Alexander News Notes

Alexander, Dec. 10.—Owen Kierman, 70 years of age and a native of Ireland, dropped dead here at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of Rev. Fr. Lucas.

Mr. Kierman came to this country when he was nine years of age. During most of his life he followed the occupation of farming and owned a farm near Alexander. For the past two years he has been retired, living in Alexander. He is survived by a brother in Ireland and a nephew and niece in New York City.

Coroner C. A. Rose was immediately notified of the death day.

Mrs. G. A. Boggs, who recently underwent an operation at Jacksonville hospital, is reported as getting along nicely.

The Alexander M. E. Church will hold a chicken pie supper at the church Thursday evening, the menu consisting of chicken pie, mashed potatoes and gravy, jellies, salads, peaches, cake, coffee, etc.

**TODAY—TRINITY  
Bazaar and Food Sale, Guild Hall, 10 o'clock.**

The Ladies Aid society of Shiloh church will give a cafeteria supper Wednesday, Dec. 12th at the home of Mrs. J. R. Black north of the city.

**Cigarmakers' 43rd annual  
ball, Auto Inn, Thursday,  
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# SOCIAL EVENTS

## Rook Party Held At Sorrells Home

About fifty friends were entertained last evening with a rook party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Sorrells near Literberry. Mrs. Sorrells and Mrs. Ivan Bateman were the hostesses. Progressive rook was the chief amusement of the evening, and delicious refreshments were served.

## Monday Conversation Club

Miss Austin, dean of Illinois Woman's College was hostess to the Monday Conversation club, which met yesterday afternoon in the Belles Lettres hall of the college. Mrs. E. W. Bassett read a paper on the topic "Canada of Today." She was assisted with the program by Mrs. Earl Spink, Miss Alice Phillips, and Miss Mary Johnston.

## Ella Ewing Missionary Society

The Ella Ewing Missionary society of the Central Christian church will meet Tuesday evening, Dec. 11, at the home of Mrs. George Peck, 511 West College street, with Mrs. Peck and Miss Ethel Shores as hostesses. The

program, under the leadership of Miss Alice Green will include an outline of the book "Shetland of Tibet," reviewed by Miss Pearl Jewsbury. Miss Marie Finney will talk on Bertha Merrill's book, "In New York." There will be short talks regarding the Jubilee work.

## Sophs Entertain Seniors at I. W. C.

The sophomore class entertained the senior class of Illinois Woman's college Saturday evening with a kid party. All guests came in costume. Children's games, such as "Drop the handkerchief," "London Bridge," etc., were the order of the evening. All had a good time about a miniature Christmas tree, until Santa came out of the fireplace and distributed presents. The kid idea was carried out in the refreshments, which consisted of ice cream, santas, animal crackers, candy canes and hot chocolate.

## Springfield I. W. C. Alumnae in Annual Meet

At the annual meeting of the Springfield alumnae association of the Illinois Woman's college, held Saturday at the Leland hotel in that city, Mrs. Chester Baker of Pawnee, was elected

Christmas carols, and Miss Beryl Vasconcellos will give the story of the Chimes. Each of the members has been given a tiny bell for a Christmas offering and at the meeting this afternoon these bells will be hung upon the Christmas tree, each member giving a Christmas verse as she attaches her bell to the tree. "The White Gift," will be the title of Mrs. A. L. Adams' story, and the singing of a Christmas carol by the company will close the program. Miss Nellie Cunningham is the president of the society and will preside this afternoon.

## Clubs Will Meet

The South Diamond street club will hold its meeting at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. J. Reeve, 720 West State street.

The Mound Woman's Country club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Thomas Graves and Mrs. DeLos James on Webster avenue. A Christmas program is being prepared, and a feature of entertainment will be a Christmas grab bag.

## Opportunity Class Met

The regular meeting of the Opportunity class of Grace M. E. church Sunday school was held last night at the home of Mrs. Nelson McMurphy on West College avenue. It was a Christmas party and there was a distribution of gifts. Mrs. H. L. Griswold being in charge of this feature. The Short family quartet gave a group of songs during the evening and there was a violin solo by Lorine Potter.

During the social hour which came after the program refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistants, Mrs. C. L. Minter, Mrs. H. L. Griswold, Mrs. Homer Potter, Mrs. H. L. Sperry and Miss Grace Gillham.

## Class Had Party

The Loyal Women's class of Central Christian Sunday school held a class party last evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Coren on Walnut street. About sixty members of the class were in attendance, and the prize of the evening contest went to Mrs. Clarence McCarty. Delightful refreshments were served.

The hostesses for the evening were: Mrs. Charles Patton, Mrs. John Sutcliffe, Mrs. F. M. Roberts, Mrs. Frank Corea, Mrs. Owen Magill, Mrs. Walter Schragg, Mrs. John Tavman, Mrs. Harry Williams and Mrs. Louis Biggs.

There will be a brief business session and later will come the Christmas program. The Christmas story from the Scripture will be given from memory by Catherine Goebel. After some brief prayers, Mrs. Carl Robinson will sing a group of

## PASSAVANT HOSPITAL NOTES

William Beekman returned to his home in Pisgah Monday. William Wilkinson, chief engineer of the Jacksonville State hospital, who has been a patient at the hospital with pneumonia for some time, was able to return to his home on Hardin avenue Sunday.

Chester Horton, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Horton who has been a patient at the hospital for the past month was removed to his home, 822 East Lafayette street Monday.

Mrs. John Wolke of Edgerton entered the hospital Sunday for treatment.

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## SCHOOL BOARD TO LET CITIZENS KNOW NEEDS

Will Publish Booklet on Conditions of Grade Buildings—Boys Must Stop Playing on Fire Escapes

The publication of a booklet setting forth existing conditions and needs of the Jacksonville school system was authorized by the Board of Education at its meeting last evening. It is intended in this booklet to frankly set before the people the school system as it is and as it ought to be in building equipment, and also the various methods by which the requisite buildings may be secured. It is not the intention of the Board of Education to ask the people to adopt any plan or building program for the grade schools, but only to furnish every home in the city with a clear explanation of the present condition of the grade buildings, and as to several methods by which new and modern buildings may be secured in a reasonable length of time.

Those present at the meeting last night were President Black, Secretary Baird, Supt. Shafer, and members Rogerson, Muehlenhausen, Metcalf, Fielder, Hopper, Duncan and Mrs. Roberts. The financial report showed that general bills during the month amounted to \$3,367 and the payroll to \$14,763.

The board discussed the way in which the fire escapes at the high school are being abused by boys, who constantly play on them, climbing to the roof and up and down the ladders. The matter is becoming serious, and small boys of the neighborhood are in the habit of playing on the ladders on Sunday. If the boys do not stop this practice, the board intends to take stern measures. It may be that local police will be called upon to violate lads who persist in violating this warning.

It was voted to allow the building and grounds committee to build up the drive way at the boiler house, with which the coal haulers are having considerable trouble during the bad weather. Supt. Shafer gave an encouraging report on the mental tests which have been introduced into the schools. It was found in nine rooms where tests were conducted, that four rooms were above par, two had students doing average work, and three were below par in their work. In this way teachers have been able to find the points at which they have failed to get results, and helpful suggestions have been made so that they could bring the work of the students up to the required standard. Teachers have been required to visit the rooms in the system where standard work is being done, in order to obtain pointers on how it is being accomplished.

It was also brought out at the meeting that the Health School is doing satisfactory work. There are now 28 children receiving treatment and training there, and recently prepared chart shows that since the beginning of school, they have increased in weight from one to 10 1/2 pounds each.

Mr. John Wolke of Edgerton entered the hospital Sunday for treatment.

**Thornton**  
Mrs. Lucy Thornton died Sunday forenoon at her home in Peoria according to a message received by her aunt, Mrs. Charles Hogan, a resident of this city. The decedent was a resident of Jacksonville for a number of years.

Surviving are a husband and four children; her mother, Mrs. Maggie Smith, 836 Hackett avenue; three brothers, William of Peoria, and Burley and Ollie Smith of this city. Mrs. Smith was with her daughter during her illness.

Services and interment will be in Peoria Wednesday.

**Challiner**  
Herbert R. Challiner, long time resident of the county, died at his home in the Joy Prairie neighborhood Monday. The deceased was a son of Joseph and Frances Challiner and was born at Beeston, Cheshire, England, August 14th, 1863.

In the year 1880 he came to this country and on November 11, 1885, he was united in marriage to Kate Couchman. To this union five children were born, four having preceded their father in death.

He leaves surviving him his wife and one son Sam M., one brother John and two sisters Frances R. Wood and Mary Roffey of England. He also leaves one nephew Samuel Wood of Joy Prairie and one cousin, W. R. Welding, of Stratton's Crossing.

Mr. Challiner was a member of the M. W. A. 3236, I. O. O. F., 243, and the A. H. T. A. 158 and was a man greatly respected by all who knew him.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the residence with Rev. M. L. Pontius officiating. Burial will be in Arcadia cemetery.

Mallory Lodge No. 30, K. of P. met in regular session Monday evening and held an election of officers. The officers elected for the ensuing year are:

C. C.—Woodson Dawson.  
V. C.—Luther Bundy.  
Prelate—Nelson Sanders.  
M. of W.—John Hogan.  
M. of E.—Warren Mitchell.  
M. of F.—W. M. Norwell.  
K. R. and S.—Howard Underwood.  
M. of A.—W. M. Douglas.  
I. G.—Thomas Jordan.  
O. G.—Thomas Mitchell.  
Grand Representative—Luther Bundy.

## CLINIC TO BE HELD IN CITY THURSDAY

Monthly Clinic of Jacksonville Clinical Association and Morgan County Medical Society Planned for Thursday.

The Jacksonville Clinical Association and the Morgan County Medical Society will hold their joint monthly meeting Thursday. The County Medical society will hold its annual election of officers in connection with the meeting in the evening. The following is the program for the day and evening sessions:

Morning Clinic

Passavant Hospital, 9 a.m. to 12 Noon  
Tubercular Synovitis—Dr. Black.  
Intestinal Keratitis—Dr. Adams.  
A Case of Diabetes with Carbuncle Treated with Insulin—Dr. Hardisty and Norbury.

Diverticulum of Oesophagus—Dr. Black and Chapin.

An Unsuspected Case of Appendicitis with Perforation—Dr. Reid.  
Carcinoma of Neck—Dr. Bradley.  
Neuritis and Infected Teeth—Dr. Black.

Gun Shot Wound Involving Brain—Dr. Black.

Luncheon, 12:30.

Afternoon Clinic

School for the Blind, 2 to 4 p. m.  
A Case of Leucoderma—Dr. Baxter.

Some Phases of Congenital Blindness—Dr. Adams.

Discussion—Dr. G. F. Suker, Chicago.

Dinner, 6 p. m. (Peacock Inn).

Following the dinner Dr. George F. Suker will make an address on "Relation of Ophthalmology to General Medicine."

Morgan County Medical Society, Public Library, 8:00 p. m.

Business meeting and election of officers.

Cigarmakers' 43rd annual ball, Auto Inn, Thursday, Dec. 13.

DR. BLACK RETURNS FROM COLORADO

Dr. Carl E. Black returned yesterday from a week spent in Colorado Springs where he attended the annual meeting of the Western Surgical Association, an organization limited to one hundred and fifty surgeons in the middle west and west.

## CLINIC TO BE HELD IN CITY THURSDAY

Funerals

Funeral services for William Dunn were held yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Paschal, west of the city, Rev. Wetzel officiating.

Flowers were in charge of Mrs. Douglas Hunt, Miss Nettie Nash and Miss Elsie Culpeper.

The music was furnished by John Lazembay, Charles Rowe, Wilbur Williams, and A. G. Cody accompanied by Mrs. Phil Cleary. The pall bearers were Allinson, Thomason, Frank Hynes, Oliver Stout, John Boddy, Ross Long and Wilbur Williams.

Interment was made in the Oetgen cemetery east of Beardstown.

Campbell

Funeral services for James H. Campbell were conducted from Lynnville Christian church at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning. Rev. Cronkhite conducted the

services, assisted by Rev. J. W. Camp. An unusually large crowd was in attendance. The pallbearers were Fred Jewsbury, Albert Jewsbury, Roy McKinley, Henry Gordon, George Combs and Leslie Lewis. The many floral offerings were in charge of the Misses Sallie McKinney, Dorothy and Leona Campbell.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Alice Gibbs, Mrs. John Heaton, Mrs. L. R. Cronkhite, Mrs. Mabel Heaton, Henry Gordon and W. W. Gillham accompanied by Mrs. Overton, Reverend L. R. Cronkhite also sang solo.

Interment was in Diamond Grove Cemetery. Among persons here for the funeral were the following: Mrs. M. B. Campbell and Mrs. Goodwin of Abilene, Kansas, Mrs. R. F. Hieronymus, Champaign; Miss Artie Bohus Milton; George Campbell, La-

Harpe; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell and family, White Hall; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wiley and son, Blakesburg, Iowa; J. B. Campbell, LaHarpe; Mrs. R. R. Russell of Webster Grove, Mo.

## GET-GAS STATIONS CHOOSE OFFICERS

The Get-Gas Service Stations Inc., held a meeting at Springfield Saturday at which officers, directors and members of the executive committee were chosen. The corporation in addition to owning property in Jacksonville, has holdings or leases in a dozen other Illinois cities.

Dr. A. H. Dollear of this city was chosen as a member of the executive committee. W. J. Hemmeker was elected president and W. B. Tipps secretary-treasurer and general manager.

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# LATEST NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## Tunney Successfully Defended His Title

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Gene Tunney, of Greenwich Village, successfully defended his American light heavyweight title to-night in a bristling 15-round match with Harry Greb of Pittsburgh at Madison Square Garden.

Tunney's body attack earned him the judges' verdict despite a whirlwind rally by Greb in the last round.

Tunney forced the fighting from the start despite frequent and spectacular rallies by Greb. He checked the effectiveness of the challengers' peculiar attacks and gradually weakened the Pittsburgher with a ripping, crushing drive to the ribs and stomach. At times Greb's tactics bewildered the champion, but the challenger often landed with long swings to the jaw and body they seldom stopped the champion's steady body fire. Tunney had Greb in distress in several of the closing rounds.

### Fight by Rounds

**Round One**—Greb shot in a right to the jaw and took a left to the ribs. They sparred at long range and Tunney pounded Greb about the body. Greb was wild with his left and Tunney landed to the jaw and body. Greb connected with both fists to the head.

**Round Two**—Tunney blocked Greb's left and dug into the Pittsburgher's ribs. Tunney rushed Greb to the ropes but took a jolting right to the jaw. They mixed at a fast pace and Greb landed right to jaw twice. Greb launched a fierce attack but Tunney traded blow for blow. Greb was fighting in his most approved windmill style but often was wild. Greb landed a right to the jaw as the bell rang.

**Round Three**—Greb dove Tunney about the ring with a rushing attack but landed few blows. A left to the jaw forced Tunney to clinch. Tunney punished Greb about the body at close quarters. Greb's right found Tunney's chin. They were sparring at the round ended.

**Round Four**—Greb landed two left swings to the head. They pummeled each other at close quarters. Tunney backed Greb to the ropes with a body attack. They clinched repeatedly with Tunney having the better of the fighting. They traded left swings to the chin as the gong rang.

**Round Five**—Tunney fought his way out of a clinch but took two stiff lefts and a right to the head. Greb was cautioned for wrapping his arm about Tunney's neck and hitting with his right. Tunney pounded Greb's ribs at short range. Greb shot home his left to the jaw without a return

while most of the Pittsburgher's swings were wild. Tunney shot home a right to the heart and Greb hung on. Greb took further punishment after lunging wildly at the champion.

Greb drew blood from a cut under Tunney's left eye. They clinched as the bell rang.

**Round Six**—Both resorted to frequent clinching. Greb's shifting tactics puzzled the champion. Greb opened a gash on Tunney's right cheek but took severe body punishment. One of Tunney's jabs started the blood from Greb's nose. They were mixing at the end of the round.

**Round Seven**—Greb landed a stiff left to the jaw of Tunney with a flurry of swings to the head and body. Tunney came back and jarred Greb with a straight left to the ribs. Greb was cautioned again for holding. Greb's left stopped Tunney and they were in a clinch as the bell sounded.

**Round Eight**—Greb started a wild attack but was battered badly about the body by the champion. Tunney drove home ripping blows to the stomach. Tunney complained to the referee of Greb's tactics. Greb's right found Tunney's jaw as they mixed furiously at close range. The round ended as they broke from a clinch.

**Round Nine**—Greb was wild with both hands. They clinched often with Tunney doing the most damage at short range. Tunney shot a right to the body and crossed with his left. Tunney fought his way out of a clinch but hooked a right wallop to the head. They were dancing about when the bell rang.

**Round Ten**—Both found the mark in a furious exchange and the crowd booted Greb for his apparent holding. Tunney's right dug into Greb's ribs. Greb's right landed to the body and he swung home a left to the chin. Tunney kept up his body attack but was jarred by a left to the head. They were setting a lively pace at the end of the round.

**Round Eleven**—Tunney ripped in with a fisted body attack. Greb's left sank into Tunney's stomach but the crowd booted both boxers for their clinching. Greb swung home a left. An other left grazed the champion's chin and Tunney came back with a jolting body attack. They were trading blows furiously when the gong rang.

**Round Twelve**—Greb jabbed with his left as he circled around Tunney. They exchanged rights to the jaw after a clinch. Greb jumped about but stepped into a right to the chin. A left to the body jarred Greb. Greb's left connected on the chin. Tunney fell thru the ropes as they clinched and the bell rang before he could climb back in. The champion fell while they were wrestling and not from a punch.

**Round Thirteen**—Tunney pounded Greb's ribs relentlessly

## GIL DOBIE AS COACH HAS UNIQUE RECORD OF WINNING ELEVENS

NEW YORK. (AP)—A unique football coach with a remarkable record is Gilmour Dobie, now serving his seventeenth year as a builder of successful football teams, the last four of which he has lifted Cornell to the pinnacle of gridiron glory.

In the 16 years prior to 1923, Dobie-coached elevens won 81 victories, scored three ties and were defeated but three times, rolling up a grand total of 2,931 points as against the 252 for their opponents. And, as this season has witnessed other Dobie victories and the scoring of more than 200 points by his Cornell eleven, his list of triumphs now is close to 90 and the total points scored by his teams is well over the 2,000 mark.

As "Gloomy Gil" he is known and referred to by eastern football writers, and that sobriquet is made the subject of a sketch appearing in a recent issue of the Cornell Alumni News.

The article takes issue with stories which have depicted Dobie as a morose, and somewhat profane, individual. It states that while he can "cuss" on occasions and does, he "cusses out" the play and not the players. It adds his players have unbounded confidence in him and that the faculty agree he is an inspirational leader.

Dobie began his coaching career in 1905 at Minneapolis High school.

The next year he became coach of North Dakota Agricultural College, and in 1908 he signed as head coach at the University of Washington, serving in that capacity to 1916.

In 1917 he became coach at Annapolis, and remained at the Naval Academy until 1920 when he was signed by Cornell. In that period Georgetown, which defeated his 1919 Navy team 6 to 0; Dartmouth which defeated his 1920 Cornell team, 14 to 3, and Pennsylvania, which defeated that same team, 28 to 0, have been the only institutions to boast a victory over "Gloomy Gil."

The secret of the success of the Dobie system of football play has been described as follows:

"Dobie's coaching method, or rather the style of play that he develops, has the peculiar quality of absolute precision that goes with definite cadence, not unlike that of a crack drill squad going thru the manual of arms. The marvelous thing about it is that it goes ahead unerringly in the midst of the confusion of charging lines and strenuous physical combat."

"On a given play each member of the team has definite duties to perform in a perfect routine and he takes his three steps in one direction and two in another as infallibly and accurately as if there were no one else on the field."

## The Nut Cracker by Joe Williams

Experts concede Yale is a great team despite the fact that the Elis are known as champions of the Big Three.

A light schedule is frequently more effective in establishing a championship team than a heavy line.

By way of showing that his courage is only exceeded by his rare sense of humor Carpenter has decided to risk his title against Mons. Spalla, whoever he is.

Jugoslavia has agreed to send a soccer team to America next spring, probably as an answer to disgruntled critics who say the World War was fought in vain.

"The scientific world will probably never know why men shoot at jack rabbits and cheer cross-country runners."—Colonel Hickory Knott.

Vaudeville people are making a lot of fuss over a sea cow that sings, whereas we have seen and heard 'em in burlesque for years.

The chief drawback against Ford as a presidential possibility is that he never threw out the first ball at an opening game.

"The Yale players threw their arms around Mallory and kissed him." And thus is the effect of Valentino felt in football.

Notwithstanding that the game is played with horseshoes there is more skill than luck in barnyard golf.

Among other things, Doc Cook would have been a tremendous success as a promoter of wrestling matches.

Some of these days Jole Ray is going to break the record for the mile run and then what will he do to pass the time away?

It is still too early to predict just how many All-America men will be left off Mr. Camp's All-America team this year.

## Eddie Collins May Be Sold or Traded

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—(A.P.)—of five years, increasing his salary from \$7,500 to \$9,000 a year.

The board of directors of the American League meeting today voted to continue financial aid to Lou Criger, veteran catcher, who is recuperating from tuberculosis.

Frank Chance, newly appointed manager of the White Sox, made the startling announcement tonight that Collins had been cast into the player market. This announcement was the most important to come from the convention of more than 1,200 baseball leaders who assembled here today to set their house in order for the 1924 season.

The directors also voted to award Babe Ruth and George Sisler for their distinguished playing ability in 1922 and 1923 but they left the nature of the award to President Johnson's decision.

There were rumors of important trades but only two deals were announced.

Connie Mack of the Athletics purchased Max Bishop, star second baseman of the Baltimore Orioles for a reported \$15,000 plus some players. The other deal involved the purchase of Dewey Hill, a catcher with Toronto, who was purchased by Buffalo.

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"Incidentally, competition is so keen that a coach can never figure on any game as soft picking."

"The season is replete with upsets. These new stadiums are mighty fine, but they simply add to the worries of a coach. Let me explain. Some of the stadiums cost as much as \$200,000. Getting football for a minute and taking up frenzied finance, it is easy to figure that a team must take in about \$100,000 profit before legacies."

fore it pays the interest on the investment.

"For a coach to turn out a bad team with a stadium to worry about as well as the players, makes the job all the harder. In football the fans like a winner as in baseball and a poor team puts an awful dent in the receipts."

### CELTICS DROP HAGGERTY

The New York Celtics, one of the greatest basketball teams in the country, will get along without the services of Horse Haggerty, the giant guard, this season. Haggerty is one of the biggest men playing basketball. He has tremendous big hands and can "palm" a basketball as easily as player can a baseball.

### STARS ON PRO ELEVEN

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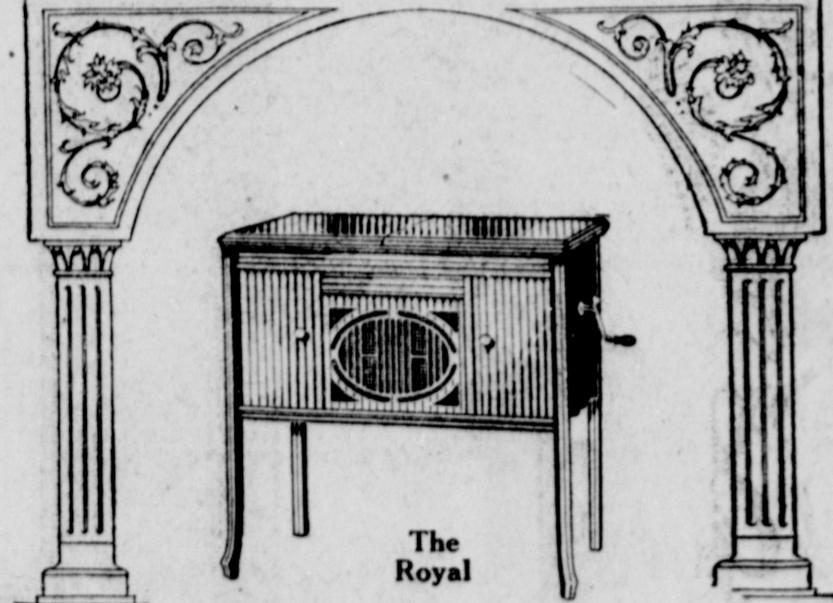
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if taken at once price  
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butchering, also a good spring  
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geese, 2 year old stock either  
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FOR SALE—10 room modern  
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## Market Report

By The  
Associated  
Press

ADVANCE IS SHOWN  
IN WHEAT PRICE

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Wheat  
scored an advance in price today  
largely owing to talk of possible  
damage to crops in Argentina, but  
increased selling during the last  
15 minutes wiped out most of the  
gains. The finish was unsettled  
as was the case at Saturday's finish  
to 1c higher; December 1.03 and  
May 1.09 to 1.04. Corn closed  
unchanged to 4 up, oats shade to  
1c off, and provisions varying from  
10c decline to a rise of 2c.

At first the wheat market  
showed a downward tendency with  
little apparent disposition to buy  
except on setbacks in price.

Knowledge that lake navigation  
was closing and that stocks of  
wheat here were likely to remain  
all winter had a good deal to  
do with making purchasers  
cautious. On the other hand  
gossip was current that some method  
would be devised in Washington  
to stabilize wheat values and  
crops were quick to take advantage  
of an estate by Secretary Wallace  
that domestic farm feeding of wheat amounted to  
90,000,000 bushels, an aggregate  
much larger than the majority of  
traders had supposed.

Reports of frost in Argentina  
suggesting likelihood of a serious  
reduction of the harvest

## WALK-OVER



All the comfort of home

No wonder men like winter oxfords when they can get Walk-Over style, wear and comfort. Look at this one, the Copley. It's made of Norwegian grain leather, full quarter-lined with calf. It's an oxford that's as tough as a pig's nose and soft as a kitten's ear. The wide toe and fitted heel make it as comfortable as an easy chair at home.



*Walk-Over  
HOPPERS*

L.C. JUNIOR PROM AT  
ELKS HOME DEC. 19

Depart from Usual Custom of Holding Big Social Event in Gym—Issue 300 Invitations.

The annual Junior Promenade the crowning event of the social season at Illinois college will be given on the evening of December 19, at the Elks Home. This is a departure from the long established custom of holding the affair in the college gymnasium.

Three hundred invitations have been issued, and the prom this year is expected to be the most brilliant in the history of the college. Music will be furnished by the Cerrick Jazz Sextette from Canton. Decorations will be in Christmas colors, red and green.

The committee on arrangements consists of Otis Smith, chairman, Miss Velma Mathews, Miss Glenn Smith and Harlan Faith. The program for the evening will contain a dinner dance preceded by a novelty entertainment given by the dancing pupils of Miss Betty Palmer. Caterers from the Peacock Inn will provide the refreshments. Everything is being done to make this formal social event one of the most pleasant occasions of the college year.

FINE POINT CLUB TO MEET  
The Fine Point club will meet next Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. E. E. Crabtree on West State street.

We wish to direct attention to the Harding Memorial Campaign in progress this week throughout the nation. Subscriptions in any amount, received by us.

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QUAKER OATS	Quick cooking Per package . . . . .	10c
RAISINS	Summer Seeded and Seedless, package . . . . .	15c
<b>PORK SAUSAGE</b>		
Sage, Salt, Pepper and Pork—That's All Per pound . . . . .		20c

CHASE & SANBORN  
Fancy Peaberry Coffee  
29c Pound 3 pounds 84c

MEETS DEATH WHEN  
CAR GOES INTO CREEK

Jesse Vickroy of Peoria Crushed Down by Machine Drowned in Creek Near Asbury Church

Jesse Vickroy of Aurora, Ill., and employed in Peoria, came to an inopportune death yesterday afternoon when the car he was driving, plunged into a stream of water near Asbury church south east of this city and pinned him beneath it.

Vickroy had been visiting at the home of Ned Bunch southeast of Murrayville and was returning to Peoria where he was employed as an iron moulder. He had been absent from Peoria since last Saturday afternoon when he left a car belonging to Hilman Falk of Peoria.

His death was discovered by the daughters of Geo. M. Cunningham of Woodson who are attending high school in this city and were on their way to Woodson. They immediately summoned Earl Hemmings who with Harry Curtis and Ed Craig residents in the near vicinity of the tragedy removed the body from underneath the car. The body was found face downward in the water and the supposition is that death came by drowning and that Vickroy had been in this position about fifteen minutes before removal.

It is thought that the car became unmanageable as Mr. Hemmings stated that he noticed that when the car came by his home a short distance from the scene of the tragedy, that the driver was having trouble in keeping the machine in the road.

As soon as news of the accident reached the city efforts were made to notify Coroner Rose, but Mr. Rose had been called to Alexander by the sudden death of Owen Kiernan of that city. Sheriff Wright then made the trip in his car and brought the body of the unfortunate victim to the Gillham Funeral Home.

By looking up the license number of the car, officials ascertained the owner and upon getting in connection with him they learned the identity of the driver.

Mr. Vickroy's relatives were immediately notified of his death and are expected to arrive in the city today. Mr. Falk will arrive in the city to take possession of the car which was taken in custody by Joy's garage. Mr. Vickroy was a single man and about 24 years of age.

Coroner Rose will conduct an inquest over the body this afternoon at the Gillham Funeral Home.

TWO MEN ARRESTED  
AFTER SHARP FIGHT

Deputy Sheriff Strawn Took In Pair on Liquor Charge—Arrested After Pursuit.

Last Sunday night Sheriff Wright had a call from Prentice asking that he come to that place immediately to quiet certain disturbances which were taking place. When the sheriff's force arrived in Prentice, two of the three disturbers Charles Davis and Lloyd Flynn had disappeared, the other, Dan Duffy was arrested and brought to the city and lodged in the county jail.

Yesterday morning Deputy Sheriff Henry G. Strawn accompanied by his wife, while driving on the hard road east of the city, met the two missing men in a car and tried to stop them, failing in this he turned his car around and gave pursuit. Deputy Strawn outdistanced the two men and then tried to stop them by driving in front of them when the pair almost ran over him. Failing to stop them the deputy sheriff punctured one tire and the radiator by revolver shots bringing the two to a halt.

Strawn and the two other men got out of their cars and a fight started at once. As a result Davis and Flynn are now occupants of the county jail and both of them realize more or less that they have been in a fight. Deputy Strawn stated that they both resisted arrest and attacked him when he attempted to place them under arrest.

With the odds against him the deputy sheriff continued the struggle. He succeeded in getting the two men to Berlin after he had subdued them and called deputies from here who brought the prisoners to Jacksonville. Dr. H. C. Wolman, county physician was called to dress their wounds at the jail. Flynn has about eight cuts on his head.

One quart of liquor was found in the car by Deputy Strawn who stated that the men threw five quarts from the car while he was chasing them. Charges of resisting an officer and transporting liquor will probably be placed against both Flynn and Davis.

CENTENARY CHURCH  
Market and Bazaar Thursday, Dec. 13 at Furry's Grocery.FORMER RESIDENT  
DIES IN QUINCY

There passed away at the Soldiers and Sailors Home in Quincy Sunday, James Gilpin, a former resident of this city.

About three months ago the decedent suffered a fractured hip and it is believed that this hastened the end of the old soldier.

Mr. Gilpin has made his home in Jacksonville during practically his entire life, his only absence for any length of time being during his service in the Civil War and two years spent at the Soldiers home in Quincy.

Those surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ollie White of Springfield; a sister, Mrs. George Smith of Peoria, and a grand daughter, Mrs. Williams of East Wolcott street, who it was received the message Monday morning telling of Mr. Gilpin's death.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET

A paper on "Mesopotamia," read by Mrs. Scott Russell, will be the subject of the afternoon when the Missionary Society of the Westminster church meets with Mrs. D. P. Roy, Tuesday afternoon.

Chicken supper and bazaar, Hebron church Thursday, Dec. 13th. Commence serving at 5 P.M.

MAN HELD HERE FOR  
MURDER WAS INSANE

Harry Wells, Who Killed Wife With Axe, Sentenced to Criminal Insane from Pike County Yesterday—Dr. McLin Is Principal Witness

Dr. Thomas G. McLin of Jacksonville State hospital was the principal witness in the trial of Harry Wells at Pittsfield yesterday, on charges of murdering his wife. Wells killed his wife at the farm of his brother near Barry on June 26 last, doing the deed with an axe. He then attempted to cut his own throat and slashed his wrists with a razor. On July 6 Wells was brought to the hospital here, where he was held until Sunday, when he was taken back to Pittsfield by the sheriff to stand trial.

The jury found that Wells had committed the crime while insane and that he was still mentally deranged. He was committed to the hospital for the criminal insane at Chester by Judge Wolfe of Quincy, who was presiding on the Pike county circuit bench yesterday.

Dr. McLin testified that Wells, since his confinement at the hospital here, had been despondent and melancholy. He seemed to realize that he had killed his wife but conceived that both he and his wife were mentally unbalanced, and that it would be best for him to put them both out of the way. Hence the crime and his attempt upon his own life.

CHILDREN HEARD  
TALK BY MISSIONARY

Meeting of Grace Church Children Sunday Afternoon Addressed by Miss Kate Blackburn, Returned Missionary from Bulgaria.

At a meeting of Grace church children held Sunday afternoon a very interesting address was given by Miss Kate Blackburn, who has recently returned from Bulgaria after many years of service as a missionary for the Methodist church.

Miss Blackburn spoke in an informal way to give the children some idea of the characteristics of the people of Bulgaria, their home life and the general conditions since the war.

She told the children that Bulgaria was the only state or country in that area that has paid its wartime debt, and this has been accomplished by the strictest economy.

Farming is one of the chief activities of the country but the methods followed are very primitive. The harvesting is done with scythes and the threshing is by the old time flail methods. The greater part of the work in the fields is done by women.

Seen thru Miss Blackburn's eyes Bulgaria is a country with great possibilities of growth and with people who respond as opportunities for education and advancement are given them.

PYTHIANS ELECT  
OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Jacksonville Lodge Had Interesting Session Monday Night—Three Candidates Took Work—Roll Call in January.

An enthusiastic meeting with a large attendance was held at the meeting of the Knights of Pythias, Jacksonville Lodge, No. 152 last evening. An election of officers took place after which three candidates took the work in the rank of Esquire.

The officers elected for the coming year are as follows:

C. C.—Lascaster Elliott.

V. C.—Wilbert J. Hauck.

Prelate—J. J. Coley.

M. of W.—Henry W. Howard.

K. of R. and S.—H. C. White.

M. of F.—Louis P. Hauck.

M. at A.—Ralph I. Dunlap.

Inner Guard—J. Lloyd Read.

Outer Guard—H. C. Laux.

Trustee—A. R. Taylor.

Grand Representative — J. B. Seibert.

Arrangements were made at this time for a Roll Call to be held the first part of next January. The Roll Call committee consists of Arthur G. Cody, W. J. Hauck, George Wiseman, H. C. Laux and John Shadid. Several visitors were present and George Arnold and E. W. Admire of Roodhouse and J. Bernknof of Chicago made short talks before the lodge.

DR. CHAPIN BACK  
FROM MAYO CLINIC

Dr. H. A. Chapin has returned from the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., where he has been attending the Radiological Society of North America which was in session December 2 to 8. This society is composed of physicians from all parts of the United States and Canada who are devoting their entire time to the use of X-ray and radium. The subject of treatment of diseases, both malignant and non-malignant, were discussed and many satisfactory results demonstrated. The scientific use of X-ray for diagnosis has attained such a degree of accuracy that many diagnoses are made that previously were baffling to the physicians. The Rochester press pronounced this the most scientific meeting in the history of the society.

ASBURY BAZAAR  
and baked chicken supper Thurs., Dec. 13. Begin serving at 5:30, at Asbury church. On oiled road.



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